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For: APPLICATION SERVER AND METHOD  
TO PERFORM HIERARCHICAL  
CONFIGURABLE DATA  
MANIPULATION

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Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

**IDENTIFICATION OF COPENDING APPLICATIONS**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants wish to identify the following copending application or applications which may contain technical subject matter related to that of the present invention:

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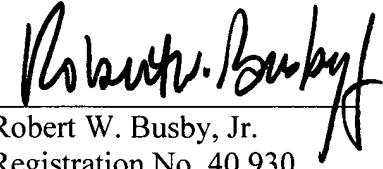
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